

## UB Receives \$26,160 For Science Program

A grant of \$26,160 has been given to the University by the National Science Foundation to conduct its annual Pre-College Science Center during the summer.

The program for gifted high school seniors will begin June 29 and end August 17 and will be under the direction of Dr. William Garner, chairman of the University's physics department.

The program will be open to high school students of high ability but who have had limited opportunity to develop their talents, stated Dr. Garner. The students will specialize in astronomy, geology, biology, or mathematics.

Participants will live on the campus for the seven week program. Activities will include classroom sessions in the morning, laboratory work in the afternoon, lectures and seminars in the evenings, as well as various field trips.

## UB to Add Dr.; to Teach On Orient

Students will be able to increase their knowledge of the Orient when Dr. Disan Hsueh-feng Poe joins the University faculty next September.

He will teach "Oriental Philosophy" and "History of the Far East," said Dean Clarence D. L. Ropp of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Poe comes to the United States from the National Chengchi University in Taipei, China, through the courtesy of the Whitney Foundation and will receive a grant from the Department of State in accordance with the Fulbright Act.

## UB End Tabbed As All-American

John Aires, left end on the Purple Knight's football squad, became the fourth UB gridder in as many years to receive All-Star recognition when he was named to the Williamson Poll's Little All-American Team last week.

The six foot, 185 pound senior from Nutley, N. J., had to overcome bursitis in his right shoulder, a handicap that already brought an end to his baseball career, to become a standout. Finding that he could still play if no extreme pressure was put on his shoulder, Aires and the coaching staff decided to direct his talents on offense.

Aires was chosen as outstanding lineman of the 1961 team and listed as one of the top 15 ends on the "Mr. Z of Boston" poll, prior to his selection on the Williamson poll.

He follows the footsteps of George Dixon (1959), Angelo Palumbo (1960), and John Kopka (1961), who were UB gridgers

The University is one of three Connecticut colleges receiving grants for pre-college programs next summer.

The University of Hartford received \$13,500 for a program at the Loomis School, Windsor, and Wesleyan University was given \$13,505 for its six week program.

Last year, at the University ten states were represented by 60 participants in the program.

## University To Probe Vandalism

A series of thefts and acts of vandalism on University property are now under investigation, said Kevin O'Sullivan, director of Men's Housing.

In past weeks water bombs were thrown from the upper floors of the Men's Dorm, at least one of which was filled with plaster of paris. A large white splash mark now adorns the sidewalk outside the dorm.

A clock and a couch were taken last month from the lounge of Wheeler Hall, a small men's dorm. Several nights later a lamp and table were taken from the lounge.

At the new Men's Dorm, a vending machine was looted for 70 cents worth of food. The damage done cost the vending machine company over \$20. A phonograph was stolen in Trumbull Hall, and several chairs were slashed in Shelton Hall.

O'Sullivan said precautions are being taken to stop the thefts and vandalism. The campus security force has been alerted, he said, and keys are being issued to dorm residents so the buildings could be secured at night.

named to All-American teams.

Aires is on the Dean's List at the University, a member of OSR, the Newman club, and the Arnold Major's club.

## Grades Only Part of IBM Job

By ED GEITHNER

The lights burn late into the night, and the whirring and clanking of machines operating at full tilt can be heard in the basement of Howland Hall.

Although it may sound like a counterfeiting operation to the casual passer-by, the University's Data Processing Section goes on working the long hours that are common at the end of the semester. It is here the cards bearing mid-term and final grades are prepared, addressed, and sent to nervous students and anxious parents.

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## Traffic Head Blames Students For Campus Parking Problem

### Senior Hits Top in Exams

Robert A. Kowalski, a senior majoring in mathematics in the College of Arts and Science, has received the highest marks ever attained by a UB student in the Graduate Record Examinations.

Kowalski's scores were in the 99th percentile in both the advanced mathematics achievement and the quantitative aptitude sections of the test, and in the 95th percentile in verbal aptitude.

Further, he received a raw score of 940 out of a possible 950, while the minimum raw score for the 99th percentile is 820.

The 21 year old Kowalski plans to attend graduate school at either Stanford, Berkeley (U. Cal), or Wisconsin. He maintains a 3.82 QPR, and is the only student in the math department



ROBERT KOWALSKI

at the university doing honors work.

Kowalski's major field of interest is the foundations of mathematics. He also reads German, French and Polish.

## Deficiency Policy -- 14 or More, Good-bye

If you've collected 11 or more deficiencies during your college career you had better familiarize yourself with the separation rules.

If you've got more than 14—forget it.

In fact, students may be dismissed from the University with as few as eight deficiencies, depending on personal situations, reports Dr. Alfred R. Wolff, Dean of Student Personnel.

Deficiencies are compiled by adding the number of quality

points below "C" level and multiplying by the number of course credits. There is a plus factor, however, in that one may add points above the "C" level using the same formula. In other words, someone with two "B's", a "C," and two "D's" in equal credit courses, will be even, while someone with one "D" and the rest "C's" all in three-credit courses, will be in the red by three deficiencies.

The purpose of this system, said Wolff, was "to give a student a realistic view, at all times, on what he has to make up."

The Faculty Senate regulations also state that any student with 46 or more semester hours will be placed on probation as soon as he has one deficiency or more. Students with 31 to 45 hours will be on with three deficiencies, while one with 30 or less hours will be on with five.

A quality point ratio of 2.0 is the requirement for graduation. A student can maintain this if his deficiencies and "plus points" balance.

### Council OK's WPKN Plan

The University's radio station, WPKN, has submitted its constitution to the Student Council and it has been accepted, announced Mr. Robert Farrell, advisor to the station.

Farrell said that the station is waiting for the Federal Communications Commission to approve its application, but that the staff is practicing, auditions are still going on, and the station's broadcasting room in Alumni Hall annex is under construction.

There will always be a parking problem at the University as long as students insist on parking their cars near the buildings where they have classes, Nicholas Panuzio, University parking director, noted recently.

Dr. Alfred R. Wolff, dean of Student Personnel, agrees with him. "Students are not making full use of the parking lots available to them," Dr. Wolff points out. "Students who pay the University parking fee have the space, but may have to walk a block or two."

Panuzio emphasizes the fact that "With over 3,000 cars registered and a great number not registered, you can imagine the problem we face."

With 183 registered cars belonging to dorm students Panuzio hopes they will not drive to dinner or to classes. He said that they are using parking spaces that could otherwise be available to students commuting to the campus.

Dr. Wolff stated that the problem is not severe at this time and shouldn't be if commuting students would make use of the "outskirts" parking facilities. If the question were of an emergency nature, he said, there might be reason to justify prohibiting freshmen dorm students from having cars, a proposal that has been considered in the past.

Wolff cites three reasons why this action would not be taken at this time: 1. The problem is not severe enough to merit this action, 2. The University would not want to put any class in an inferior position and 3. Legislation of this kind would handicap the freshman socially.

Dr. Wolff added that a ruling of this kind should not be instigated by the administration, but, if necessary, by the students.

"I think that this is a matter for student concern," he reviewed "If they have opinions on this, I would like them to express them to me through the Student Council. They should be careful, however, to not only represent their viewpoint, but to consider the views of future freshmen, who do not have a chance to be heard."

## Old Alumni 'Facelifted'

Old Alumni Hall, the Georgian mansion at 200 Park Place, has had its face lifted, and has been immortalized on canvas at the same time.

Its stately lines, which represent a fast disappearing style in American architecture, have come alive with a fresh coat of white house paint. The oil painted version hangs in the Student Center lobby, the work of Bud Walenstein, former University student.

The framed picture is the joint effort of the Alumni Hall Board of Governors and the Wistarian.

The inside of the building, which was renovated by Building and Grounds, now contains five classrooms on the first floor. These rooms will also double as meeting rooms. Room 28, on the second floor, will also serve as a meeting room.

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## Editorial

### Remember 1963 Forever

Well, 1963 is here. And it came in at its blistering best. The new year promises to be a memorable one. The graduating senior will never forget it. Neither will anyone who flunks out. There are several ways to do the latter.

An easy way is to ignore your studies. An easier way is to get caught cheating. We don't recommend either, especially the latter.

But, unfortunately, without a doubt several University students will use illegal methods in an attempt to get through finals, some will get caught. We hope they are caught. We hope they are expelled. They should be.

It's too bad there are cheaters. It is possible for them to get through school without cribbing. We recommend they try it. And we recommend instructors keep a sharp eye out for those who don't.

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# Polled Students Split on Visiting Privileges

When they speak of a liberal education in Nottingham, England, they are not just referring to classroom activities.

Nottingham's Clinton Training College allows its male students to visit co-eds in their rooms until 10 p.m. "... with no questions asked." The girls have the same privilege at the men's dorms.

Forty-nine University students were asked if they thought this plan would work on UB's campus. The reaction was almost split, with 24 students voting yes, 23 voting no, and three undecided.

Typical reactions were:

**J. R. B.**, a sophomore majoring in engineering: Yes. This freedom would work on this campus the same as other campuses. The students would respect their right to enjoy such a freedom and would not want to lose it. If you don't trust the students on campus, then you could not trust them while they are off campus.

**Ronald Fiorella**, a sophomore majoring in physical education: Yes! I believe this type of freedom would work on this campus and add much to campus life. I

think the college student would be able to use this freedom without abusing it. They are old enough to choose right from wrong and should learn in college how to live in society.

**Phyllis Braunstein**, a junior majoring in elementary education: I feel we are all old enough and mature enough to know what we should do and what we should not do. If we were given such a freedom I am sure we adults would behave. Perhaps if we had such a privilege there would be no rush to motels and apartments.

**Majorie Morrow**, a junior majoring in biology: This system has very good point in it except that dormitories are our home, and your home is for relaxation and to come and go as you please. If men were allowed on the floors this might prevent some girls from relaxing as they wish. If this could be overcome in some way such as setting certain hours, I sincerely feel it would work.

**Gail Kaprow**, a sophomore majoring in elementary education: I do not think this idea would be either advisable or workable in any co-ed college. In order to work adequately, this system would have to be approved by the entire student body. This I feel would be impossible.

**Linda Wagner**, a sophomore majoring in medical secretarial studies: No. I feel there are certain boys on campus that would definitely take advantage of this privilege. I think a great difficulty would arise in getting the boys to leave the dorm at a decent hour and getting the people

to supervise.

**Robert Marchetti**, a senior majoring in marketing: This type of freedom would never work on this campus although I would like to see it tried. The students would take advantage of this freedom and I believe their marks would

suffer greatly. The average student is not old enough or mature enough to be allowed such a freedom.

**Judy Coopersmith**, a freshman majoring in English: I don't think this would be good as it would detract from studying and many

people would abuse the privilege. There is enough time and there are enough places for individuals to meet each other without having the use of facilities of the girls' rooms. It is not fair to the girls on the floors because it invades their privacy.

## Quieter Now

A crack-down on quiet hours regulations in the dormitories will take place, starting the week preceding finals, dorm director Kevin O'Sullivan announced this week.

During this period, quiet hours will be in effect 24 hours a day, with strict enforcement. There will be an emphasis on work, with personnel help coming from the advisors, when necessary.

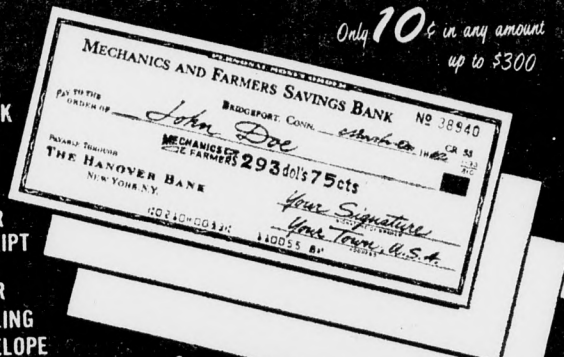
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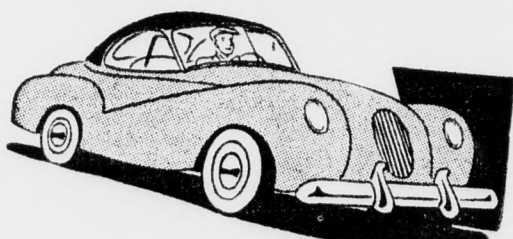
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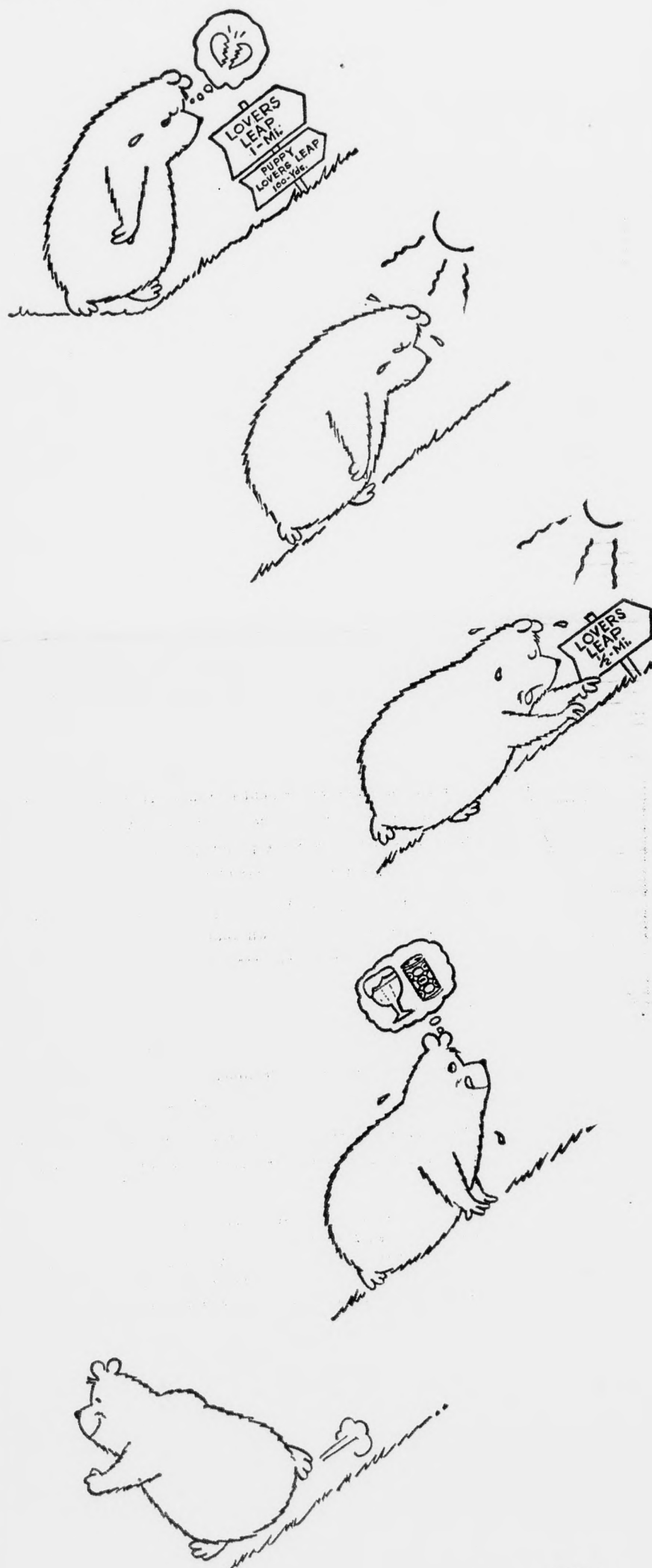
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A talk on "Life on Other Planets" will be sponsored by the Biology Society on Wednesday, January 9, 1963. Mr. Phillip D. Stern, an instructor of astronomy here at the University and director of the planetarium at Bridgeport's Museum of Art, Science and

### IBM At Work

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University. The information on the application is placed on an IBM card and filed with the Admissions department while the student's application is being processed. If the applicant is accepted, another card is made out, this is known as the Student Master Card.

"The most time-consuming element in data processing is not the operation itself," Brown said, "but the programming of the specific job and the interruption of other jobs. We should have a six or seven month advance notice of any work coming to us."

"The machines we have here are not the most advanced tabulators and computers now in production," Brown went on, "and are rather slow compared to the newest machines. But this relative slowness keeps the cost of the machines within reach of small institutions and businesses. The rental fee on some of the newest machines may run as high as \$22,000 a month, which few colleges and smaller business firms could afford."

The University has other data processing and computing machines other than those used by the IBM section. A device under the jurisdiction of the Admissions department is used to correct tests; while the College of Engineering will soon have a new computer to be used for scientific and research work.

"The computer itself is rather stupid," he went on, "it can only add, subtract, multiply, and divide; or repeat what it has been told. Its outstanding characteristic is the speed with which it performs these operations."

Industry, will be the featured speaker. The exact time and place will be posted.

Office hours for the Wistarian are 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The office is located on the third floor of the Alumni Hall annex.

Dr. Joseph Roucek, chairman of the departments of sociology and political science, has just had one of his many textbooks, "Sociology — An Introduction," translated into Japanese. Roucek, a prolific author, has an article appearing in the December issue of Contemporary Review, entitled "The Geopolitics of Yemen." He has also signed a contract with Philosophical Library, N.Y., to edit a volume on "The Difficult Child" and to completely revise Fairchild's Dictionary of Sociology and Related Sciences.

Lowell K. Bridwell, speaking at the annual meeting of the Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce, presented a surprise gift of \$100 for the building fund to University Vice-Pres. Albert E. Diem.

In September, 1963, the Junior College of Connecticut will initiate a new program, offering an Associate Degree in Nursing. The two year program, long sought by Dr. Henry Littlefield and Dean Martha Jayne, will be the first of its kind in Connecticut.

The W.A.A. will sponsor co-ed archery every Thursday evening in the Gymnasium, starting at 7:30 p.m.

All girls interested in playing women's varsity basketball should get in touch with Dr. Helen Spencer, or be at the gym every evening at 6:00 p.m.

"Hello '63," the Student Center dance scheduled for tomorrow night in the Social Hall, will be held from 9-12 p.m. instead of as originally announced. The dance will celebrate the Center's first birthday. Birthday cake and coffee will be served. Music will be provided by a three piece band. Admission is free.



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